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U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form**

Application No.: 10/748,589 First Named Applicant: Thomas L.C. Simpson  
 Examiner: Kristine Rapillo Art Unit: 3626 Status of Application: Pending

**Tentative Participants:**

(1) Philip Kunz (2) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (3) \_\_\_\_\_ (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Date of Interview: October 28, 2010 Proposed Time: 10:00 AM EST AM/PM

**Type of Interview Requested:**

(1) ☒ Telephonic (2) ☐ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

**Issues To Be Discussed**

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>103 Rej.</u>	<u>Cl. 11, 14-16, 28</u>	<u>Reuss, Lebel,</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) _____	<u>30-38</u>	<u>Crawford</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(3) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(4) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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**Brief Description of Argument to be Presented:**

Applicant would like to better understand the reasoning behind rejections over Reuss and Lebel, and would like to try to agree upon clarifying claim amendment to distinguish over the art of record.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on \_\_\_\_\_.

NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

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 Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature  
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 Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative  
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Registration Number, if applicable

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Examiner/SPE Signature

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